

**UNITED STATES JUDICIAL PANEL  
on  
MULTIDISTRICT LITIGATION**

**IN RE: ETHICON, INC., PELVIC REPAIR  
SYSTEM PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION**

MDL No. 2327

(SEE ATTACHED SCHEDULE)

**CONDITIONAL TRANSFER ORDER (CTO –79)**

On February 7, 2012, the Panel transferred 36 civil action(s) to the United States District Court for the Southern District of West Virginia for coordinated or consolidated pretrial proceedings pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §1407. *See* 844 F.Supp.2d 1359 (J.P.M.L. 2012). Since that time, 743 additional action(s) have been transferred to the Southern District of West Virginia. With the consent of that court, all such actions have been assigned to the Honorable Joseph R Goodwin.

It appears that the action(s) on this conditional transfer order involve questions of fact that are common to the actions previously transferred to the Southern District of West Virginia and assigned to Judge Goodwin.

Pursuant to Rule 7.1 of the Rules of Procedure of the United States Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation, the action(s) on the attached schedule are transferred under 28 U.S.C. §1407 to the Southern District of West Virginia for the reasons stated in the order of February 7, 2012, and, with the consent of that court, assigned to the Honorable Joseph R Goodwin.

This order does not become effective until it is filed in the Office of the Clerk of the United States District Court for the Southern District of West Virginia. The transmittal of this order to said Clerk shall be stayed 7 days from the entry thereof. If any party files a notice of opposition with the Clerk of the Panel within this 7-day period, the stay will be continued until further order of the Panel.

Inasmuch as no objection is  
pending at this time, the  
stay is lifted.

**Mar 21, 2013**

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**SCHEDULE CTO-79 – TAG-ALONG ACTIONS**

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MINNESOTA			
MN	0	13-00499	Watts v. Ethicon, Inc. et al
TEXAS WESTERN			
TXW	1	13-00189	Phillips et al v. Ethicon, Inc.

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**MINUTE ORDER - TO INVOLVED CLERKS - Conditional Transfer Order (CTO-79)**

**Finalized on 3/21/13. Please see pleading ([871] in MDL No. 2327, 3 in MN/0:13-cv-00499, 4 in TXW/1:13-cv-00189).**

**As stipulated in Rule 7.1(c) of the Rules of Procedure of the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation, transmittal of the order has been stayed 7 days to give any party an opportunity to oppose the transfer.**

**The 7-day period has now elapsed, no opposition was received, and the order is directed to the Clerk of the United States District Court for the S.D. West Virginia for filing. The Panel governing statute, 28 U.S.C. 1407, requires that the transferee clerk transmit a certified copy of the Panel order to transfer to the clerk of the district court from which the action is being transferred.**

**Signed by Clerk of the Panel Jeffery N. Luthi on 3/21/2013.**

**Associated Cases: MDL No. 2327, MN/0:13-cv-00499, TXW/1:13-cv-00189 (dn)**

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